

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD
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Application or Docket Number

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10675852

CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS	23	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	23 minus 20 =	3
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4 minus 3 =	1
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/>		

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

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	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	23	23	0
Independent	4	4	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

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	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	22	23	
Independent	5	4	1
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total			
Independent			
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

SMALL ENTITY TYPE ☐

OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	375.00
X\$ 9=	
X42=	
+140=	
TOTAL	

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	750.00
X\$18=	54
X84=	84
+280=	
TOTAL	884

SMALL ENTITY TYPE ☐

OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDI-TIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=	
X42=	
+140=	
TOTAL	

RATE	ADDI-TIONAL FEE
X\$18=	0
X84=	0
+280=	
TOTAL	0

RATE	ADDI-TIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=	
X42=	
+140=	
TOTAL	

RATE	ADDI-TIONAL FEE
X\$18=	
X84=	
+280=	
TOTAL	

RATE	ADDI-TIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=	
X42=	
+140=	
TOTAL	

RATE	ADDI-TIONAL FEE
X\$18=	
X84=	
+280=	
TOTAL	

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In re application of: Jacqueline HEARD, *et al.*)
Filed: 30 September, 2003)
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND
SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of June 29, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows. This response is being filed on the Monday following the one-month anniversary of the Restriction Requirement, and is thus timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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NO. 096 P. 11

Application No. 10/675,852
Second Preliminary Amendment dated July 31, 2006
Reply to Restriction Requirement

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REMARKS

In response to the pending restriction requirement, Applicants elect Invention I, original Claims 1-19, drawn to a transgenic plant and methods of making, classified in class 800, subclass 278, for example.

Support for abiotic stresses selected from the group consisting cold, salt, mannitol, and water deprivation may be found, for example, on page 92, lines 17 and 25-26. Support for altered flowering time, including early flowering time and delayed flowering time may be found, for example, on page 9, line 14, and page 95, line 7 through page 96, line 20.


Applicants believe that no new matter is added by any of these amendments to the claims. Entry of these amendments is respectfully requested.

CONCLUSION

Applicants believe that no additional fee is due with this communication. However, if the USPTO determines that a fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Mendel Biotechnology, Inc. Deposit Account No. 50-1025.

Respectfully submitted,
MENDEL BIOTECHNOLOGY, INC.

Date: July 31, 2006


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